

TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, June 10.
Senator Perryus, of France, is dead.
Major Chas. W. Radiger, of Montreal, is dead.

Reports of the Philippian rebellion are conflicting.

Casey's bicycle bill passed in the House of Commons.

Twenty-five monks were roasted alive by Philippian rebels.

Six men were injured in an elevator accident at New York.

China is negotiating a loan to pay off the Japanese war indemnity.

The steamer Pewabec lost thirty years ago in Lake Superior has been found.

Nearly all the items of the tariff have been passed by the House of Commons.

Premier Laurier will be received with special honors on his arrival in England.

The Maher and Sharkey fight was stopped by the sheriff. Referee was a draw.

Sir Charles Tupper was banqueted by the conservative members of parliament.

United States senators are urging an ad valorem duty of 28 per cent. on raw cotton.

Canadian lumbermen are asking for an importation and export duty on lumber and pulp-wood.

The report of friction between English speakers and French people of Montreal, in reference to jubilee was incorrect.

Very slow progress is being made in the peace negotiations between Greece and Turkey, and Greece is alarmed at the situation.

LOCAL.

TRAIN left Calgary on time.

L. J. O'BRYEN, of the Massey-Harris Co. left for Calgary.

Private Andrew O'Kelly, who shot the Indian who killed Corp. Hockin, is to be made corporal.

The criminal code amendment bill has been rejected by the senate, leaving the code unchanged.

JAS. JOHNSON, who came out last year from Scotland, returned on Tuesday's train to his native land.

M. MORRIS, manager of the Imperial bank, Calgary, came up on last train and is inspecting the branch here.

REV. MR. GRAY is calling for tenders for the construction of a brick rectory on one of the lots near All Saints' church.

A FOOTBALL match between Stony Plain and Edmonton will be played on the race track at 10 o'clock on the morning of the 23rd.

A CRICKET match between Fort Saskatchewan and the local team will be played on the race track on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The prospect brightens for an early prorogation of parliament. The chances are that the sitting will be concluded by the 19th inst.

The fence around the race track is completed and numerous booths are under construction to be in readiness for the days of celebration.

FRAGMENTS of the national anthem to be sung by the school children on the 22nd are being held nightly in the Saddlery Co.'s hall under the direction of A. G. Randall.

The sole right to have booths for the sale of liquor on the race track on the 22nd and 23rd has been sold to Jas. Goodridge, of the Jasper house, who was the highest tenderer therefor, for the sum of \$176.00.

THE ATHABASCA is expected back by the 22nd. If she succeeds in making connections here on that date she will bring up a number of people from down the river to participate in the celebration here.

THROUGH an error in last issue it was stated that the celebration committee had decided to change the entrance fee for the farmers' race from ten to fifteen per cent. It should have read from ten to five per cent.

CALGARY Herald: W. A. Oliver and Geo. S. Wilkins, who have been prospecting successfully in the Jasper Pass, north-west of Edmonton, are in town travelling via packhorses to Fort Steele, through the Crow's Nest Pass.

THE STURGEON river base ball club are offering a silver jubilee medal for the championship of North Alberta, to be played for on one or both of the days of the celebration here. A match will probably be arranged with Stony Plain.

A SPECIAL train of European immigrants arrived in Winnipeg on Saturday. The party was composed entirely of Galicians and Germans, the former largely predominating. There were 109 families, numbering 534 in all. The consignment was divided up between the Mennonite settlement near Winnipeg and Regina, Leduc and Edmonton.

A NUMBER of horses have been shot lately in this vicinity for glanders and the disease seems to be spreading as several other horses are reported to be affected. On account of so many horses running at large and frequently together in large bands the disease is easily spread. Any farmers having valuable horses running at large would do well to round them up.

THE Hon. Clifford Sifton no doubt is clever and has a good immigration policy for the North-West, but one thing is certain that if he could see a photographic study of a newly arrived Galician in all the glory of its ultra negligee attire as it parades through our streets, he would have a violent and nauseating feeling in the region of his watch pocket. A direction given to immigration agents requiring them to see that intending immigrants have sufficient clothing to wear before they would be allowed to emigrate would no doubt help to remedy the existing condition of affairs.

ALTHOUGH the mining shows have been actively operating on the river here for over a month, no definite results have yet been ascertained either as to the capabilities of the many machines in use to separate from the gravel and save the black sand, or as to the amount of gravel which can be put through the machines per day for the purpose of such separation. Many dredge owners who started out early in the season found, when they commenced operations, that numerous alterations in their machinery would be necessary, and they were therefore, delayed while making the necessary improvements. The clam shell scoop was found to be unsatisfactory and is being replaced by the flat shovel. It is expected that more definite results will be known by the 1st of July, when many dredges at present undergoing alterations, will have started to work.

L. T. ROBERTS, returned from the Kootenay by last train and will reside in Edmonton in future.

R. L. ALEXANDER, late government immigration agent, drove in from Calgary on Monday night.

THE tax collectors office shows that out of a total municipal taxation of \$16,000 for 1896 the sum of 10,600 has been collected to date.

C. W. SUTTER, government immigration agent left for Winnipeg on last train on a business visit connected with immigration work.

STRAWBERRIES are ripe in some of the gardens in town. This is three weeks earlier than has ever been known before within the memory of the oldest inhabitant.

At the west end golf links on Saturday last the prizes for ladies were won by Miss Young and Mrs. Cowie, while the buttons were won by E. F. Slocock, gold; R. A. Ruttan, silver and E. C. Emery bronze.

THE annual public meeting of the women's mission circle will be held to-night in the Baptist church at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of the reading of papers and address with exercises by the mission band.

MESSRS. Johnnie Robertson and James Petrie went out on Tuesday with Mr. McLean's surveying party to the Sturgeon. Geo. Goodall has also gone.

FRANK JACKSON and D. Grierson, of the Alberta hotel, returned on Wednesday from the south where they have been for the last two weeks. They brought back seven horses which they purchased during their visit and will use in their stable here.

THE sacred concert given by the Presbyterian church choir in the church on Tuesday night was greatly enjoyed by those present. The programme was altered considerably from the one as advertised. The manner in which the many anthems and solos were rendered deserves a better patronage from the public.

THE grand chief of the Sons of Scotland has issued orders to two hundred campers throughout the country to make arrangements for bonfires in their respective localities on the night of June 22. The light is to be applied at nine o'clock, so that the bonfires through Canada will be blazing away at the same time. A gigantic bonfire on our own race track in the evening would be an attractive feature.

REV. D. G. McQUEEN left for Winnipeg on Tuesday's train where he will attend the yearly general assembly of the Presbyterian church. The pulpit will be occupied on Sunday next by Rev. Mr. Gallop of South Edmonton and Rev. Mr. Forbes of Fort Saskatchewan. On Sunday the 20th Rev. Mr. Forbes will occupy the pulpit in the morning and the evening service will be conducted by Mr. W. Johnston Walker. Mr. McQueen expects to return by Monday the 21st.

WETASKIWIN CELEBRATION.

The executive committee of the Wetaskiwin public sports held a meeting on Monday and instructed the secretary to arrange with the C. P. R. for special excursion rates on the C. & E. branch from July 5th to July 9th, inclusive, and also to arrange for a grand Indian pow-wow and tea dance to be given on the evening of the 7th, in addition to the published programme.

A BRIDGE THIS FALL.

By last mail Mayor McDougall received word from Frank Oliver, M. P., stating that he had seen the minister of public works, chief of the engineering department and other officials having the matter in charge and had been assured and guaranteed by them that the bridge across the Saskatchewan here would be started at once and completed this season. The bridge of course to be a combined railway and traffic bridge. The plans are now before the engineering department and as soon as they are decided on and confirmed, tenders will be called. It will probably be two or three weeks before the tenders are signed, as the present high water in the river would interfere with construction before that time, but by three weeks the water will have fallen considerably and the work of construction will thereby be made easier.

The department of public works also wrote up for samples of the stone from Mr. Degagne's quarry up the river in order to see if it was suitable for the piers, etc., of the bridge. Samples of the stone have been forwarded to them and if the stone is satisfactory work will be commenced at the quarry immediately.

After the close of parliament Sir Chas. Tupper will take a tour through the west and inspect his mining properties in which he has large investments.

Ottawa, June 2.—Laurier and his party took their departure for England quietly this morning, "nearly all the ministers were at the depot to say farewell, and a dozen liberal members of parliament. Lady Aberdeen sent her daughter, Lady Marjorie, with an immense bouquet, which she presented to Madame Laurier as she boarded the train. Laurier was lustily cheered as the train moved out in a heavy down pour of rain. Cartwright, is now acting premier.

BIRTHS.

CLOSSON—On Sunday, the 6th inst, the wife of J. M. Closson, of a daughter.

CARTER.—At Edmonton on Sunday, June 6th, the wife of C. E. Carter of a son.

MACDONALD.—At Edmonton on Wednesday, June 9th, the wife of D. W. Macdonald of a daughter.

ANDERSON.—At Edmonton, on Thursday, June 10th, the wife of Peter Anderson of a son.

POLICE COURT.

Before G. W. Gaidner, J. P. on Tuesday a case of "creating a disturbance" etc., was disposed of by the offender being fined \$2 and costs.

Frank Hall who was sent down to the Fort on the 24th of April last, while temporarily of unsound mind and subsequently released, was again in evidence before the bench. He seems to suffer from chronic alcoholitis as the charge against him was for being drunk and argumentative on the street. On his promise to turn another new leaf and get to work he was let off.

On the same day a case under the Master and Servants ordinance for improper dismissal, brought by Henry Kulack of Stony Plain against D. Brox was to come up for airing but the parties settled the matter out of court.

The accounting in the case of Hothier vs. Lisle referred to the Deputy Clerk of the court, from the last sitting of the court, here has been proceeding before Mr. Taylor this week and was concluded on Tuesday. Judgment has not yet been given.

A case of selling liquor to an Indian is proceeding at the police barracks as we go to press, before Messrs. Snyder and De Cazes J. P's.

JUBILEE CELEBRATION MEETING.

At a meeting of the celebration committee held on Tuesday evening communications were read from St. Jean Baptiste society Fort Saskatchewan accepting invitation of committee, N. W. M. P. band offering their services gratis, from Sturgeon river base ball club, offering silver jubilee medal for competition on one of the days of celebration, and from the Sisters in charge of St. Joachim school setting forth a list of their requirements for the jubilee parade.

The offer of the N. W. M. P. band and Sturgeon base ball club was accepted with thanks, and the Secretary was instructed to write sister superior re parade of St. Joachims school children, stating that committee were unable to supply all assistance asked for but would do all in their power to assist parade, Messrs. Purchas and Looby were appointed a committee to arrange for accommodation and entertainment of police band.

The matter of arranging parade and disposing of different bands throughout the procession was referred to the procession committee who will call a meeting and with representatives of all societies participating, arrange order of procession.

Ticket sellers and gate keepers were appointed and it was decided to inform the public that speeding on the track between events or at any other time on either day, by horses not participating in the races, would be strictly prohibited.

London, June 5th.—At the military tournament at the agricultural hall to-day, Sergt. Williams and Privates Wasson, Stewart and McLean, of Canada, competed in the bayonet vs. bayonet bouts against four members of the New South Wales mounted rifles. The Canadian team won easily, Stewart tossing his antagonist over his shoulder on his bayonet, and calling forth great applause.

One of the fruits of the jubilee is an agitation to change the name of England. One correspondent wants it rechristened Wiseland, the first four letters being the initials of Wales, Ireland, Scotland and England. This is capped by another correspondent who wants the empire to be called Enviscolia to bring in the colonies of England, and all the subjects of the Queen would be called Enviscolians.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, June 10th, 1897.

NOTICE.

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manager of the BULLETIN during the
absence of the proprietor. A. H.
Haines and J. K. Macdonald have
authority to receipt for accounts.

FRANK OLIVER,
Proprietor.

SESSION NOTES.

OTTAWA, June 3, '97.

The preferential trade resolution of
the new tariff was carried in com-
mittee on Tuesday night by a vote of
nearly two to one. The debate on
Monday and Tuesday was entirely
concerning this clause, and chiefly
conducted by the opposition, who stuck
to their first objection, that the pro-
visions would be injurious to Canadian
manufactures on account of their
allowing competition at a 25 per cent.
reduction with the principal manu-
facturing countries of the world, such
as Germany, Belgium and France,
which claim to be entitled to the
benefit of and concession granted to
Britain. They also argued that the
power to extend these preferential
provisions without an act of parlia-
ment was an usurpation of the powers
of parliament. The most important
contributions to the debate from the
government side were by Mr. Russell,
of Halifax, who quoted from the tar-
iff acts of the late government sections
which gave even more sweeping
powers to the customs department in
the matter of varying the duties; and
by the finance minister, who replied to
the charge of indefiniteness in regard
to this clause by saying that, while it
might be indefinite in some particulars,
it was perfectly clear in regard to
others; It was definite in its effect as
regards British trade, inasmuch as it
certainly gave preferential terms to
Britain; it was definite in regard to
United States trade, inasmuch as it
unquestionably denied such terms to
that country. These were the two
countries with which Canada chiefly
traded. The effect upon the trade of
the country applying the preferential
provisions to the countries enjoying
the most favored nations treaties with
Great Britain had been so overrated
by the opposition as to practically
change the principle involved. In
1895-6, Canada's total imports for
home consumption amounted to
\$110,587,480; the imports from
Great Britain were \$32,977,042, and
from the United States \$58,574,024,
leaving only \$19,033,714 as the total
imports from all other countries, and
of this amount only \$10,209,279, or
less than one-tenth of the total im-
ports of the Dominion, came from
countries enjoying the most favored
nations treaties with Great Britain,
including Germany, Belgium and
France. The total duty collected on
the imports from these countries was
\$2,609,478, showing that if all the
countries enjoying the most favored
nations treaties with Great Britain
were admitted to the full benefit of
the treaties in their trade with Can-
ada only ten per cent. of the total
trade of the country would be affect-
ed thereby. He made a comparison
between this possible result and the
result had the standing offer of re-
ciprocal trade with the United States,
made by the late government, been
accepted. The acceptance of the late
government's offer by the United
States would have involved a loss of
revenue to the amount of three dollars
compared to the possible loss of one
dollar under the present proposal.

On Wednesday the anti-combines
clause was debated, and it is expected
that a vote will be reached to-night.
The trend of talk by the opposition on
this clause is the same as on the pre-
ferential trade clause, in that it is
simply a bid for the support of the
manufacturers, pledging the conser-
vatives who have spoken to back
their interests irrespective of any
other consideration.

Hon. Mr. Laurier and Madame
Laurier left this morning for Eng-
land, to take part in the jubilee
festivities.

Caucuses of both parties were held
on Wednesday morning, and the news-
papers state that the government's
policy in regard to the Crow's Nest
Pass railway was announced to the
government party. Under that policy
the Canadian Pacific Railway Com-
pany will build the road for a sub-
sidy; variously stated at \$9,000 to
\$11,000 a mile. Certain concessions
as to ruling powers over the line by
other companies and rates generally
are involved, but the particulars are
not yet available. It is said that the
interests of Macleod and Lethbridge
are to be fully protected. The bar-
gain with the C. P. R. is understood
only to extend from Lethbridge to
Nelson; other arrangements have
been made from Rossland west. It is
rumored that the proposition to hand
over the Crow's Nest Pass to the C.
P. R. does not meet with favor
amongst all the supporters of the
government. It is not known yet

when the matter will come up in the
House.

In order to accelerate the close of
the session, a number of government
measures will be dropped, including
the franchise, superannuation and
plebiscite bills.

It is understood that the conser-
vative caucus was entirely harmonious,
that Sir Charles Tupper is still to
lead the party, and that the policy is
to be, as ever, the country for the
combines and monopolies.

THE CROW'S NEST PASS RAIL- WAY.

On the 2nd instant the government
caucus sat for the purpose of consider-
ing the building of the Crow's Nest
Pass Railway. The following is the
arrangement entered into between the
government and the C. P. R. as to its
construction.

Mr. Blair presented an arrangement
which the government had entered into
with the C. P. R. for the construction
of 300 miles of this road from Leth-
bridge to the mining region at Rossland.
The balance of the road through to
Penticton will be given to an independ-
ent company. In regard to the
arrangement, the C. P. R. company
will get a Dominion subsidy of \$11,000
per mile. For this subsidy the Cana-
dian Pacific have arranged to make
very important concessions to the gov-
ernment. In the first place they give
over control of rates west of Fort
William to the government. The rail-
way company also make a cut of 20 per
cent. in a specified number of articles
supplied to the government. Take
wheat for instance, a cut of 1 1/2 cents
per 100 lbs. is made for this year, and
1 1/2 more next year, or three cents in
all. As to the arrangement for the
building of the road west from Ross-
land, it was not discussed at length,
the policy of the government evidently
being to give a similar subsidy as far
as Penticton, and in course of time
continue to the Pacific coast. While
there were a number of Ontario and
western members in the first instance
opposed to going on with the building
of the road this year, thinking that
nothing would be lost by another year's
delay, still when they saw the large
concessions made by the Canadian
Pacific, the arrangement received their
support, so that legislation will be pro-
ceeded with this session, and the work
of construction of the road gone on
with at once. The government also
takes back 20,000 acres of coal land
given as a land grant to the British
Columbia Southern. The coal land
will be divided into blocks, and the
government will have first choice and
the railway company, second choice of
each block.

It is understood that the agreement
between the C. P. R. and the govern-
ment regarding the construction of the
Crow's Nest Pass railway involves an
immediate reduction of 20 per cent. on
rates on coal oil, 10 per cent. on agri-
cultural implements, 33 1/2 per cent.
upon fruits, and a reasonable per cent.
upon binder twine, wire, boilers, nails,
barbed wire, bags, belt, animals for
breeding purposes, etc. All these re-
ductions apply on through rates from
the east. There will be no reductions
on local rates, say from Winnipeg to
Regina or such points. The reductions
will average from 10 to 33 1/2 per cent.
Reduction on wheat rates only apply
next year, when it will be 1 1/2 cents a
hundred. The following year it will
be reduced another 1 1/2 per cent. The
government is to have control of rates
on the Crow's Nest line, and also will
be able to give running powers to any
other line applying for the same.

MUCH FROM LITTLE.

No matter how commonplace and
uneventful the greater part of a man's
life may be, there are necessarily two
brief periods in his existence when he
creates a certain amount of commotion
in the world and those two periods
are, first, when he is born and second-
ly, when he dies.

The annals of history do not show us
that the entry into this wicked
world of the Indian whose name is
occupying so much paper space, was
heralded with any of the pomp and
circumstance of war nor that it creat-
ed any greater furor in the tepees of
his tribe than did many other events
of a similar character, yet we are free
to suppose that it was of a certain
amount of moment especially to the
parties directly interested. Neither
do the pages of the past show us that
his life, with one notable excep-
tion, was in any way an extraordinary
one and the probability is that it was
passed in a manner greatly similar to
the usual humdrum existence of his
brother redmen namely, in turning up
religiously on ration day to receive
his stint of government grub and en-
deavoring to steal as much more as
he could lay his hands on. Occasion-
ally, no doubt, a break would come in
the monotony of life, when a bottle of
forty-rod firewater surreptitiously in-
troduced into the camp would create
a passing diversion and impart to the
inbibbing redskin a momentary and
entirely misleading impression that
he was predestined to do great deeds,
all of which spirit born bravery would
soon pass away and end in the usual
manner by the erstwhile exhilarated
redman, with true Indian nobleness of
character, laying information and hav-
ing the man arrested who supplied the
liquid joy.

Be this as it may one fact is certain
that the Indian Almighty Voice has

been occupying a great deal of valu-
able paper space during the last week
and after that brief period during
which his chivalrous soul kindled to
heroic flame and single handed he en-
deavored to stand off the mounted
police force and incidentally all the
white settlers of the west, and the un-
feeling police blew the top of his head off
with a shrapnel shell by way of end-
ing his heroics, he was certainly very
much in evidence in the dailies of the
east. Not only was the story of his
tragic end of great use to the indus-
trious newspaper man in affording him
an interesting topic upon which he
could dilate with ease, but his name
has been thundered from the pulpits
of churches, coupled with eulogies on
the bravery of the ninety-three men
who killed him. Conservative dailies
have drawn a moral from his conduct
and blamed it all on the liberal gov-
ernment, have used it as an argument
for the return of "loyal" Indian agents
and the immediate firing of the
"traitors" now in office and as an
argument by all classes against the
further reduction of the police force
it has proved unanswerable.

If they have morning papers in the
Happy Hunting Grounds where all
good Indians are supposed to go and
mounted police strictly prohibited
from entering, and are provided with
telegraphic communication with the
outer world the soul of Almighty
Voice should swell with pride when
he reads of the interest his tragic tak-
ing off created throughout Canada
while the pride would be not un-
mixed with wonder that by dying he
could serve the world so well, and
if he has brains enough to reason with
he could arrive at the very sensible
conclusion that by dying he became
much more useful than he ever could
have been while living.

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Suitable for Miners, Prospectors, Camping
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Only a few pieces left, now
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A special line at 75c. each.

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20 Men's Tweed and Serge
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See our Boot and Shoe
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Remnants and odds and
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A nice line of Wrappers from \$1.50.
Ladies' Trimmed Hats from \$1.50. Fancy shapes from 25c.
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Children's Straw and Cloth Caps, great variety from 15c.
16 yds. Prints, large selection, for \$1.00
14 yds. Strong Tartan Gingham for \$1.00
32 inch Flannelette, extra value, 10c
Dozens of Ladies' Blouses from 50c to \$2.50
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1897 **SPRING** 1897

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and seasonable goods which are now arriving at our
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We have greatly reduced the price of our goods in all our
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Our Dress Goods Department contains a larger variety
and prettier spring styles than ever shown here before.

DOMESTIC GOODS

Bleached and Unbleached Cottons, Sheetings, Pillow
Casings, Gingham, Denims, Prints and Flannellettes at
very low figures.

Carpets, Oil Cloths and Linoleums

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Our stock of Clothing beats anything in this town.
All well made and of honest goods—no shoddy. See
our \$6.00 Suit—it's a daisy.

BOOTS AND SHOES

Our Shoe Department is complete with reliable standard
makes.

GROCERIES, Etc.

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want, and as cheap as anywhere. Ram Lal, Blue Ribbon
and Mazawattee Teas always on hand. Come right in
whether you buy or not. We want to show you our
Goods.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken.

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JUDICIAL SALE

OF

BREWERY PROPERTY
PLANT, ETC.

Pursuant to a Judgment of the Supreme Court of
the Northwest Territories, in the case of Kelly vs.
Cairns, dated the 25th December, 1896, there will be
offered for sale by public auction at the premises in
the Town of Edmonton, at two o'clock, p. m., on
Saturday, the 19th day of June, 1897, the Brewery
Property, Plant, etc., of the late firm of Cairns
& Kelly, described as follows:

FIRSTLY:—A. One acre of land fronting on the
Saskatchewan River, on which are buildings, etc.,
as follows:

B. Main Building: 30 x 20 feet, frame, shingled,
laid out as follows: Cellar: 12 x 18 feet, 10 feet high,
with brick floor, on which are one 340-gallon fer-
menting tub, one 293-gallon water cask, one wash-
ing trough, racks for barrels and bottles. Connected
with the cellar are a pump room with a good well,
force pump and hose, and an ice cellar. Ground
floor, containing furnace, 645-gallon mash tub,
bottle racks, and cooling room. Upstairs: Bedroom,
office, store room, boiler room, 371-gallon boiler and
pump.

C. Main house: 30 x 16 feet, containing two cement
mash floors, two furnace rooms, one bonded ware-
house, one steep tub, kiln.

D. Stable, sheds, root house, ice house, etc.

E. About 40 tons of ice stored on premises.

SECONDLY:—A. Barrels, kegs, cases, and
bottles about as follows: Twenty 42-gallon whiskey
barrels, ninety 35-gallon beer barrels, eight 16-gallon
barrels, eight 8-gallon barrels, cases, 400 dozen
bottles, three cans varnish, beer tester.

B. About 15,000 pounds of malt, about 200 bus.
barley, hops, brewer's supplies and other articles.

The property "Firstly" described will be sold in
block, 20 per cent. down, balance into four equal
instalments, the balance of the property will be put
up in separate parcels and will be sold for cash.

At the same time and place will be sold separately
for cash: One team horses, two wagons, one set of
sleighs, one jumper, and one set double harness.

Other terms and conditions as settled by a Judge
can be seen on application to H. C. Taylor, Esq.,
Advocate, Edmonton, A. McNeil, Esq., Receiver,
and Manager of the business, or to the undersigned
at Edmonton.

BECK & EMERY,
Vendor's Advocates.

Or W. S. ROBERTSON,
Auctioneer.

62-63

MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

Farm Property!

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale con-
tained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced
at time of sale, default having been made in the
payment of the moneys thereby secured, and under
the provisions of the Land Titles Act, 1894, and pur-
suant to the directions of the Hon. Mr. Justice
Scott, dated the 29th day of May, 1897, there will be
offered for sale at public auction by W. S. Robert-
son, auctioneer, at his office, Edmonton, on

Monday, 28th June, 1897,

At the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the
following property:

The Northwest quarter of Section 22, Township
54, and the Southeast quarter of Section 4, Town-
ship 55, both in Range 25, west of the Fourth
Meridian.

TERMS OF SALE: Twenty per cent. of the pur-
chase money to the advantage of the mortgagee on date
of sale, and the balance to be paid into court
within twenty days thereafter.

Further terms and conditions will be made known
on day of sale, or at any time upon application to

MUIR & JEPHSON,
Advocates of Mortgagee,
Calgary, Alta.

Or to W. S. ROBERTSON,
Auctioneer, Edmonton.

Calgary, 20th May, 1897. 62-63

ESTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned on 10th
April one gray stallion branded W on right shoulder
and one white hind foot. Owner is requested to
pay expenses and remove the animal.

58-63 **ANDREW COGHILAN, Edmonton.**

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competent men employed. No pupils received.

EDMONTON, KOOTENAY AND CARIBOO.

CHAPTER V.

EDMONTON'S GREAT BEYOND.

Though Edmonton, situated 1000 miles somewhat north of west of Winnipeg, may appear to one unacquainted with the vastness of continental Canada, to be away at the extremity of possible civilized settlement, it is yet only at the threshold of the gateway to a territory of immense extent and enormous potential value. The Mackenzie River enters the Arctic Sea about 2000 miles due north of the town of Edmonton after draining through numerous tributaries entering it from east, west and south, a colossal area covering 1,260,000 square miles, consisting of that part of the Dominion lying north of the Saskatchewan watershed, east of the Rocky Mountains and west of Hudson's Bay and comprising the Great Mackenzie basin.

From the report of a special committee appointed by the Senate of Canada to enquire into the resources of the region, named by them therein "Canada's Great Reserve," the extracts herein indicated by quotation marks are made. The Mackenzie and its affluents form a network of waterways "while its total lacustrine area probably exceeds that of the Eastern Canadian and American chain of great lakes." "There is a river navigation of about 2,750 miles, of which 1,390 miles are suitable for sternwheel steamers, which with their barges may carry 300 tons; the remaining 1,360 miles being deep enough for light draught sea-going steamers." "With suitable steam craft this river and lake navigation (in all 6,500 miles) may be connected with Victoria and Vancouver by way of the mouth of the Mackenzie, the Arctic Ocean and Behring Straits and Sea; and it is now connected on the south by 90 miles of wagon road, between Athabasca Landing and Edmonton, with navigable water in the Saskatchewan River."

ARABLE AND PASTORAL LAND.

"Within the scope of the committee's enquires there is a possible area of 655,000 miles fitted for the growth of potatoes, 407,000 square miles suitable for wheat." "There is a pastoral area of 860,000 square miles, 26,000 miles of which is open prairie with occasional groves, the remainder being more or less wooded; 274,000 square miles, including the prairie, may be considered arable land."

"Throughout this arable and pastoral area latitude bears no direct relation to summer isotherms, the spring flowers and birds of deciduous trees appearing as early north of Great Slave Lake as at Winnipeg, St. Paul and Minneapolis, Kingston or Ottawa, and earlier along the Peace, Liard and some minor western affluents of the great Mackenzie basin, where the climate resembles that of Western Ontario."

"That the prevailing southwest summer winds of the country in question bring the warmth and moisture which render possible the far northern cereal growth, and sensibly affect the climate of the region as far east as the Arctic Circle and as far east as the eastern rim of the Mackenzie basin."

FISHERIES AND FORESTS.

The report goes on to say that the quantity and quality of the fresh water food fishes implies the future supply of a great portion of the North American continent; and that the seal, walrus, whale and porpoise are found off the mouths of the Mackenzie as well as in its estuary. Further that "the forest area has upon it a growth of trees well suited for house and ship building, purposes of great prospective value to the treeless regions of Canada and the United States to the south."

GOLD AND OTHER MINES.

"Of the mines of this vast region little is known of that part east of the Mackenzie River and north of Great Slave Lake. Of the western affluents of the Mackenzie enough is known to show that on the head waters of the Peace, Liard and Peel Rivers there are from 150,000 to 200,000 square miles which may be considered auriferous, while Canada possesses west of the Rocky Mountains, at the head waters of these rivers and on the Yukon an immense metamorphic area principally of gold bearing rocks. Other useful, but inferior, minerals are also known to exist, such as coal, iron, salt and petroleum in immense quantities. Concerning the latter: "The evidence submitted to your committee points to the existence in the Athabasca and Mackenzie valleys of the most extensive petroleum field in America, if not in the world."

FURS AND GAME.

"The chief present commercial product of the country is its furs, which, as the region in question is the last great preserve of the world, are of very great present and prospective value, all the finer furs of commerce being there found." This expert evidence given by such men as Professors Dawson, Bell and Macoun shows the country to be also stocked, with large and small game, besides fur bearing animals. Moose, reindeer, caribou, elk, Virginia deer, Rocky Mountain goat, Rocky Mountain sheep, musk ox, a very few straggling specimens of the once numerous buffalo or bison, also bears—black,

brown, grizzly and polar—occur in the parts of the region suited to them. There are birds of—almost—every wing, frequenting certain places in prodigious numbers; of which may be mentioned grebes, loons, gulls, pelicans, ducks in great variety, geese, swans, bitterns, herons, cranes, snipe, sandpipers, plovers, hawks, eagles, grouse, ptarmigan, ospreys, owls, kingfishers, woodpeckers, flycatchers, horned larks, jays, ravens, crows, blackbirds, buntings, many kinds of sparrow, swallows, warblers, thrushes, snow-buntings, snow birds, and the robin (merula migratoria, Linn), all of which breed in the country. The flora is equally varied and interesting to the botanist.

"Your committee have reason to believe that a comparison of the capabilities of this extent of country in our own continent, exceeds in extent of navigation, area of arable and pastoral lands, valuable fresh water fisheries, forests and mines, and in capacity to support population the continental part of Europe to which we have referred" (Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, Austria and a part of France and Russia.)

RAILWAY REQUIREMENTS.

To the huge and diversified wealth of this region, Edmonton, as has been pointed out, is the gateway by which fur traders, missionaries and an occasional enterprising sportsman and prospector find access to it. Its furs are all brought to Edmonton, and those, not belonging to the Hudson's Bay Company, exchanged for merchandise and the farm products of the country, for which there is an increasing demand. The people of Edmonton regard this trade as of great present importance to them, but believe that in the not distant future a magnificent market will be created by the utilization of the mineral resources not yet touched in the north. Starting from Edmonton, they expect to see a railway built through the auriferous regions tapped by the upper waters of the Athabasca, Peace, and Liard Rivers—a line of easy construction on the east of the Rocky Mountains, which it would probably be easy to build in the Liard valley through the mountains to the new and rich gold fields of the Yukon. Such a line running through a gold field all the way and most of the distance through the best arable and pastoral parts of the region described in the report of the Senate's Committee, opening up and making likewise available the resources of the illimitable country in navigable communication with the mighty rivers crossed by it, deserves the attention of enterprising railway projectors and capitalists, the expiration by time limit of the Calgary & Edmonton Railway Company's charter to Peace River affording an opportunity to others of opening up a New World by their enterprise. The distance from Edmonton to the head waters of the Yukon, from which steamboats could ply, would be roughly, 900 miles, of which 700 miles (in the Alberta, Peace River and Liard River countries) would be through an arable, pastoral, a timber and a placer gold mining country.

SPORT AND ADVENTURE.

To the lover of sport and adventure in wild and very imperfectly explored regions this great northland offers a field of ample scope. To the mining man, the geologist, the naturalist, the botanist, and even to the hardier type of tourist, a journey through this region would be profitable, useful and enjoyable.

Regarding big game shooting I am indebted to Mr. C. G. Cowan, of Londonderry, Ireland, a gentleman who has hunted for years in the Rockies about the head waters of the Athabasca and Smoky Rivers, for the following: "In my opinion sportsmen who wish to procure a variety of trophies, that usually measure well, could not do better than visit Edmonton. Here one can obtain everything in the way of provisions, pack animals and necessary equipments for a few months shooting trip at reasonable prices. The northern region of the Rockies affords the hunter a more varied bag, and I believe the Atlantic slope gives us better horn measurements than the Pacific side. Wapiti are shot close to Edmonton. Numbers of moose are annually killed in different parts of the district. For bighorn, Rocky Mountain goat, caribou and bear the entrance of the Yellow Head Pass makes a delightful 'headquarters camp.' A few days travel from here gives one grand chances at those animals. On two different occasions I saw as many as fifty and seventy sheep grazing together, and the year before last (1895) I met an Indian who had killed 19 caribou, 13 sheep, 11 goat, 11 moose, 9 black-tailed deer, and 8 bears in one autumn's hunt within a few days of the Athabasca River."

WANTED.

Man to work farm on shares. For particulars apply Drawer D, Edmonton. 62-4

Buttermilk for Sale

By the season at the Edmonton Government Creamery. For further particulars apply to GEO. R. TAYLOR, Manager.

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LIMITED.

R. RITCHIE, Manager.

NOTICE.

Owing to the trip of our representative, to the East, we had an opportunity, of which we availed ourselves, of selecting direct from the manufacturer a fine line of Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, etc., on which we are able to offer greater reductions in prices than heretofore.

Sigler & Cristall

CHEAPSIDE.

Next to McDonald's Drug Store.

MORTGAGE SALE

OF—

Town Property!

Dominion Building & Loan Association vs. Matheson.

Pursuant to the order and direction of the Honorable Mr. Justice Rouleau, made herein on the 19th day of May, 1897, there will be offered for sale at public auction at the Robertson Hall, in the Town of Edmonton, on Friday, the 11th day of June, 1897, at the hour of two o'clock, p. m., the following property, to-wit:

Lot numbers 16, 17 and 18, Block 4, River Lot 10, Plan "A," Edmonton.

The above property is situated on the east side of Queen's Avenue, about two blocks from Main street, and comprises a comfortable and commodious dwelling house.

TERMS—25 per cent of purchase money to be paid on date of sale, and balance into Court within fourteen days thereafter.

Further terms and conditions of sale made known on date of sale or on application.

BECK & EMERY,
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Dated 20th May, 1897.

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Arangeti, June 8
Warrimoo, July 8

For further information write or apply to
J. GREGG,
Or to Agent, Edmonton

ROBERT KERR,
Gen'l Traffic Manager, Winnipeg

By-Law No. 137.

A By-Law to provide for the raising of twenty-five thousand dollars as a bonus to aid in the construction of a Combined Railway and Traffic Bridge across the Saskatchewan River, at Edmonton.

WHEREAS, a petition, signed by at least one-half in number of the resident ratepayers of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton, has been presented to the Municipal Council of the said Municipality, requesting them to pass a By-Law to provide for the raising of the sum of \$25,000.00 to be given as a bonus to the Dominion Government to aid in the construction of a Combined Railway and Traffic Bridge across the Saskatchewan River at Edmonton, and for the raising of Debentures therefor, and to submit the same for the assent of the ratepayers of the Municipality duly qualified to vote thereon.

AND WHEREAS, the Municipal Council have deemed it expedient to comply with the requests of the said petition;

AND WHEREAS, the Municipal Council deem it expedient that the said sum shall be raised by the issue of Debentures to the said amount, payable in thirty years, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable half-yearly;

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality, according to the last revised assessment roll, is \$914,770.00;

AND WHEREAS, the total amount of the existing debt of the Municipality, outside of the debt due for the current expenses of the year, is \$18,510.88, incurred for local improvements; and \$2,765.36, incurred for the improvement of the Town, making in all the sum of \$21,276.24, hereof not paid in arrears;

AND WHEREAS, it is expedient to provide for the payment of the principal of the said Debentures by the creation of an equal yearly Sinking Fund;

AND WHEREAS, the total amount to be raised annually by special rates for the payment of the said debt, by means of a Sinking Fund as aforesaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid, is \$1020.30;

AND WHEREAS, the annual special rate on the dollar, as being sufficient to pay the said interest, and to create the said equal yearly Sinking Fund, for the payment of the said debt, is 1.8-10 mills;

THEREFORE, the Mayor and Council of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton, in Council assembled, enact as follows:

1. This By-Law is to take effect on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1897.

2. The Mayor and Clerk of the Municipality are hereby authorized to issue debentures of the Municipality to the aggregate amount of \$25,000.00, payable in thirty years from the day of the date on which this By-Law takes effect, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable half-yearly; such debentures to be payable at the office of the Treasurer of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton, and to have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

3. For the purpose of paying the amount which shall require to be raised only for the payment of the said interest, and for the creating of an equal yearly Sinking Fund to be set apart for the payment of the principal sum of \$25,000.00, a special rate of 1.8-10 mills on the dollar, over and above all other rates and taxes, shall be levied in the same manner, and at the same time, as the general municipal taxes, upon the whole of the rateable property in the Municipality in each year, for the period of thirty years, during which the said Debentures shall be current.

4. The said Debentures, when so issued, as aforesaid, shall be deposited with the Treasurer of the Municipality, and the same, or the proceeds thereof, shall be by him delivered to the Minister of Public Works of the Dominion of Canada, for the time being, in accordance with the provisions of a By-Law to be hereafter passed by the Municipal Council in that behalf.

5. Wednesday, the 5th day of May, 1897, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Town Clerk, Edmonton, is hereby fixed as the day, place and hour for taking the votes of the electors, for and against this By-Law.

6. Arthur G. Randall is hereby appointed Returning Officer; and St. Geo. Jellist, Deputy Returning Officer, to take the votes at the said time and place.

7. Wednesday, the 5th day of May, 1897, at the hour of six o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Town Clerk, Edmonton, is hereby fixed as the time and place where the Returning Officer will sum up the number of votes given for and against this By-Law.

Provisionally adopted in Council at the Town of Edmonton, this 10th day of April, A. D. 1897.

(Sgd) J. A. McDUGALL, Mayor.

(Sgd) A. G. RANDALL, Clerk.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a By-Law passed by the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton on the 4th day of May, A. D. 1897, and approved by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1897, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such By-Law or any part thereof quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Judge of the Supreme Court within two months next after the third publication of this notice or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

A. G. RANDALL,
Town Clerk.

Finally passed in Council at the Town of Edmonton this 5th day of May, A. D. 1897.

(Sgd) J. A. McDUGALL, Mayor.

(Sgd) A. G. RANDALL, Clerk.

I hereby assent to By-Law No. 137 of the Town of Edmonton to provide for raising of the sum of \$25,000.00 (twenty-five thousand dollars.)

(Sgd) C. H. MACINTOSH,
Lieutenant-Governor of the
North-West Territories.

Dated at Government House, Regina,
this 12th day of May, A. D. 1897.

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